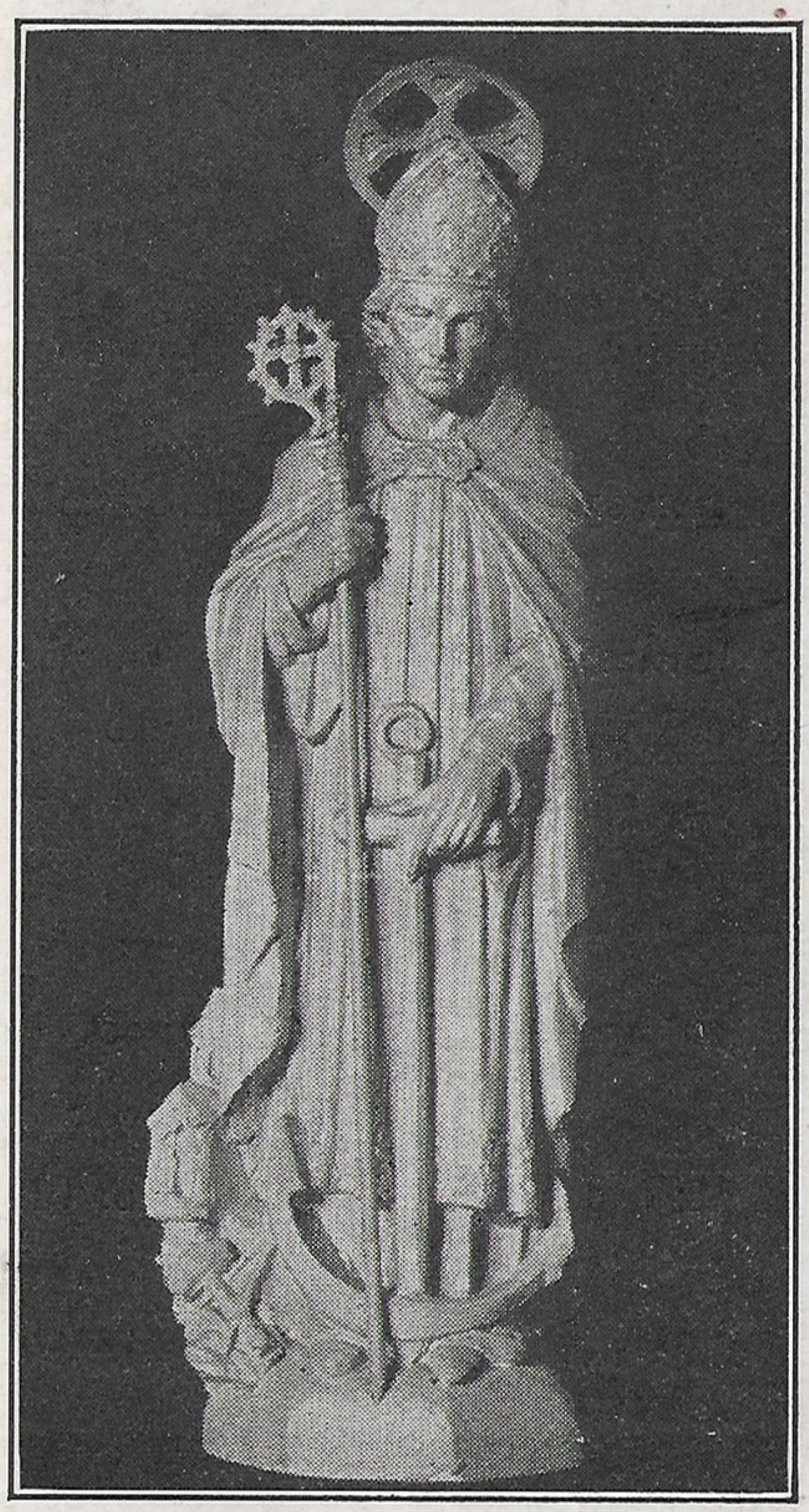
S. Clement's Church

Philadelphia



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Friday, November 22nd

Eve of S. Clement's Day.

First Vespers, S. Clement, P. M., at 8 o'clock.

Solemn Vespers, Sermon, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

The Rector will preach the Sermon.

Saturday, November 23rd

S. Clement, P. M. Patronal Feast of the Parish.

Low Masses at 7, 8 and 9:30 o'clock.

Solemn Mass and Sermon at 11.

Music of the Mass: von Weber in E Flat.

Preacher: The Reverend Julian Delamater Hamlin, Rector of the Church of the Advent, Boston.

Intention at the Masses:

Thanksgiving for the Catholic Faith and for God's many blessings to S. Clement's Church and Parish.

Sunday, November 24th

In the Octave. Commemorate the Sunday next before Advent.

Low Masses at 7 and 8. Corporate Communion of the Congregation.

High Mass, with Hymns, and Holy Communion at 9:15.

Solemn Mass, Festival Procession, and Sermon at 11. Music as on the Feast.

Preacher: The Reverend Spence Burton, Superior of the American Province of the Society of S. John the Evangelist, Boston.

Intention at the Masses:

For Our Perseverence in the Catholic Faith and the Deepening of the Devotional Life.

8 P. M., Solemn Vespers, Sermon, Annual Procession of the Parish Guilds, and a Solemn TeDeum of Thanksgiving.

Preacher: The Reverend Malcolm Endicott Peabody, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Chestnut Hill.

Monday, November 25th

S. Katharine, V. M. Commemorate Octave of S. Clement.

Low Masses at 7, 8 and 9:30.

Intention at the Masses:

For the Clergy, the Sisters, and All who work in the Parish.

Tuesday, November 26th

In the Octave.

Low Masses at 7, 8 and 9:30.

Intention at the Masses:

For the Acolytes, the Choir, and the Children of the Parish.

8 to 10 P. M., Parish Tea, Reception and Entertainment in the Parish House, for All the Members of the Church and Congregation.

Wednesday, November 27th

In the Octave.

Low Masses at 7, 8 and 9:30.

Requiem Masses for the Faithful Departed Members of the Parish, Priests, and Benefactors.

Thursday, November 28th

In the Octave. Day of National Thanksgiving.

Low Masses at 7, 8 and 9:30.

Solemn Mass at 11.

Music: Missa Marialis.

Intention at the Masses:

For Our Country, the President of the United States, All in Authority, and for the Peace and Concord of Nations.

Friday, November 29th

In the Octave. Commemorate the Vigil of S. Andrew, Ap.

Low Masses at 7, 8 and 9:30.

Intention at the Masses:

For the Mothers' Meeting, S. Mary's Guild and the Sodalities.

8 P. M., Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The Rector will preach the Sermon.

Saturday, November 30th

S. Andrew, Ap. Commemorate Octave Day, S. Clement, P. M.

Low Masses at 7, 8 and 9:30.

Solemn Mass at 11.

Music: Missa de Angelis.

Intention at the Masses:

For the Missionary Program and Our Part in the World-Wide Mission of the Church.

Triduum for Missions begins Today, and ends on the Feast of S. Francis Xavier.

The Collections Throughout the Festival will be for the Current Expenses in the Parish

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Confessions Before the Feast

Thursday: 7 to 8 P. M.

Friday: 10 to 10:30 A. M.; 3 to 5, 7:15 to 8 P. M.

All Fridays: 3 to 5, 7:15 to 8 P. M.

All Saturdays: 11:30 to 12, 3 to 5, 7 to 9 P. M.

MASS DAILY at 7, 8 and 9:30

MATINS DAILY at 7:30.

VESPERS DAILY at 6.

The Propers for the Feast of S. Clement, P. M.

INTROIT: Thus saith the Lord: My words which I have put in thy mouth shall not depart out of thy mouth: and thy gifts shall be accepted upon Mine altar. (Ps. 112.) Blessed is the man that feareth the Lord: he hath great delight in His commandments. V. Glory be.

GRADUAL: Ps. 110. The Lord sware, and will not repent: Thou art a Priest forever after the order of Melchisedech. V. The Lord said unto my Lord: Sit thou on my right hand.
Alleluia, alleluia. V. This is a priest whom the Lord hath crowned. Alleluia.

OFFERTORY: Ps. 89. My truth also and My mercy shall be with him: and in My name shall his horn be exalted.

COMMUNION: S. Matt. 24. Blessed is that servant whom his Lord when he cometh shall find watching: verily I say unto you, that he shall make him ruler over all his goods.

THE LESSON: Philippians 3:17.

THE HOLY GOSPEL: S. Matt. 24:42.

Novena for the Parish

Begins November 14th. Ends November 22nd.

Nov. 14. For the Bishop of the Diocese. The Parish Clergy and the Congregation.

Nov. 15. For the Children of the Parish. Their Mass and Catechism.

Nov. 16. For the Sisters. S. Mary's Guild and the Mothers' Meeting.

Nov. 17. For the Choir and Organist. The Acolytes and Altar Guild.

Nov. 18. For the Sick, the Aged and the House-bound.

Nov. 19. For the Strangers in our midst, and casual visitors.

Nov. 20. For the Daily Masses and the Daily Offices.

Nov. 21. For the Sermons Preached and the Instructions Given.

Nov. 22. For the Keeping of a Holy Feast.

The Daily Devotions to be said with the Above Intentions are Pater Noster, Ave Maria, and Veni Creator.

Triduum for Missions

Begins November 30th. Ends December 3rd.

Antiphon: Enlarge the place of thy tent: and let them stretch forth the curtains of Thy habitations.

Versicle: Spare not, lengthen thy cords.

Response: And strengthen thy stakes.

Prayer: O God, the Father of all the families of the earth; Bless, we pray Thee, our efforts to bring the message of Thy Love to our brethren, and to build them up in Thee; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

To be said Daily with the Pater Noster and Ave Maria.

Prayer for the Parish

Antiphon: I will pour water upon him that is thirsty, and floods upon the dry ground; I will pour My Spirit upon thy seed, and My blessing on thine offspring.

Versicle: Turn Thee again, O Lord God of Hosts.

Response: Look down from Heaven, behold and visit this vine.

Prayer: Almighty God, Who dost govern all things in heaven and earth, mercifully hear our supplications, and grant unto this Parish all things that are needful for its spiritual welfare. Bless and sanctify the Rector and his Assistant Priests; strengthen and confirm the faithful; visit and relieve the sick; turn and soften the wicked; restore the penitent; remove all hindrances and hurtful things; and make us all, we pray Thee, to be of one heart and one mind in the Fold of Thy Holy Church, to the honour and the glory of Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. A-men.

The Clergy

Rev. Franklin Joiner, *Rector*

Rev. Wm. Ivan Edwards

Rev. Wm. Tudor Buckeley